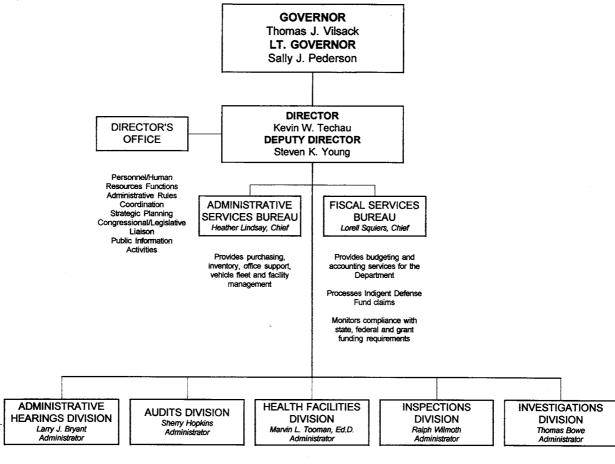
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Conducts hearings for the

following state agencies: Agriculture and Land Stewardship Commerce Education Elder Affairs General Services Human Rights Human Services Inspections & Appeals Natural Resources Public Health Transportation

Conducts hearings for professional licensing boards, and for the Alcoholic Beverages Division of the Department of Commerce

Workforce Development

Conducts hearings for other state agencies upon request

Conducts audits of health care facilities

Conducts audits of state medical assistance programs

Conducts audits of state supplemental assistance programs

Conducts audits of local Department of Human Services field offices

Certifies businesses for participation in the **Targeted Small Business** program

Conducts workforce audits of state vendors

Monitors and reviews the state's affirmative action program

Inspects and certifies nursing facilities and various intermediate care facilities for participation in the Medicaid program

Inspects and certifies health care providers, such as skilled nursing facilities, hospitals, CLIA laboratories, end-stage renal disease units etc. for participation in the Medicare program

Inspects and licenses hospitals, long-term care facilities and hospices

Nurse Aide Registry

Inspects private institutions caring for dependent or neglected children

Inspects and reviews private adoption investigators and child placement agencies

inspects and licenses Psychiatric Medical Institutions for Children

Reviews and approves construction/renovation plans for long-term care facilities

Inspects and licenses restaurants, grocery stores, and food processing plants

Inspects and licenses food and beverage machines

Inspects and licenses hotels and motels

Inspects barber and cosmetology licensees

Inspects USDA egg handlers and federal wholesale food establishments

Licenses and regulates bingo, games of skill or chance, and raffles Investigates Medicaid fraud by providers

Reviews error-prone applications for Food Stamps, FIP, and Medicaid

Collects overpayments made to individuals from state public assistance programs

Conducts investigations of the practices of hospitals, hospices, and health care providers

Investigates allegations of abuse or neglect of residents in health care facilities receiving Medicaid reimbursements

> Conducts special Executive Branch investigations upon request

Detects and recovers divested assets from individuals who have received Medicaid funds

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